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Susan G. Esserman,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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Postponement of Final Antidumping Duty Determinations: Oil Country Tubular Goods From Italy, Mexico and Spain

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 15, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Crow (Italy and Spain) or Jennifer Stagner (Mexico), Office of Antidumping Investigations, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-0116 or (202) 482-1673, respectively.

Postponement

On January 26, 1995, the Department of Commerce (the Department) issued its preliminary determinations in the antidumping duty investigations of oil country tubular goods (OCTG) from Italy, Mexico, and Spain (60 FR 6515, 6510, and 6516, respectively, February 2, 1995).

The following parties requested that the Department postpone the final determinations until 135 days after publication of the preliminary determinations in accordance with section 735(a)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act) (19 U.S.C. 1673(a)(2)), and 19 CFR 353.20(b): Dalmine S.p.A., the respondent in the Italian investigation, on February 3, 1995; North Star Steel Ohio, the petitioner in the Mexican investigation, on January 30, 1995; and Koppel Steel Corporation, USS/Kobe Steel Company, and U.S. Steel Group (a unit of USX Corporation), the petitioners in the Spanish investigation, on January 30, 1995.

Under section 735(a)(2) of the Act and 19 CFR 353.20(b), if, subsequent to the preliminary determination, the Department receives a request for postponement of the final determination from the petitioner if the preliminary determination was negative, or the respondent if the preliminary determination was affirmative, then the Department will, absent compelling reasons for denial, grant the request. We find no compelling reasons to deny the

requests, which were properly filed, and are, accordingly, postponing the date of the final determinations until no later than June 19, 1995.

The U.S. International Trade Commission is being advised of these postponements in accordance with section 733(b) of the Act.

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Statute and to the Department's regulations are in reference to the provisions as they existed on December 31, 1994.

Public Comment

In accordance with 19 CFR 353.38, case briefs or other written comments in at least ten copies may be submitted by any interested party to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration no later than May 2, 1995, and rebuttal briefs no later than May 9, 1995. We request that parties in these cases provide an executive summary of no more than two pages in conjunction with case briefs on the major issues to be addressed. Further, briefs should contain a table of authorities. Citations to Commerce determinations and court decisions should include the page number where cited information appears. In preparing the briefs, please begin each issue on a separate page. In accordance with 19 CFR 353.38(b), we will hold public hearings, if requested, to give interested parties an opportunity to comment on arguments raised in case or rebuttal briefs. Tentatively, the hearings will be held at the U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230, on:

Italy: May 17, 1995, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 1851;

Mexico: May 19, 1995, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 1851;

Spain: May 17, 1995, at 2:00 p.m. in Room 1851.

Parties should confirm the time, date, and place of the hearing 48 hours before the scheduled time.

Interested parties who wish to request a hearing must submit a written request to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room B-099, within ten days of the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. Requests should contain: (1) The party's name, address and telephone number; (2) the number of participants; and (3) a list of the issues to be discussed. In accordance with 19 CFR 353.38(b), oral presentations will be limited to the issues raised in the briefs.

This notice is published pursuant to section 735(a)(2) of the Act and 19 CFR 353.20(b).

Dated: February 8, 1995.

Barbara R. Stafford,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Investigations.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 020195B]

Marine Mammals

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Receipt of application to modify permit no. 873 (P772#63).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Southwest Fisheries Science Center, NMFS, P.O. Box 271, La Jolla, CA 92038-0271, has requested a modification to permit no. 873.

ADDRESSES: The modification request and related documents are available for review upon written request or by appointment in the following offices:

Permits Division, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 13130, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (301/713-2289); and

Director, Southwest Region, NMFS, 501 West Ocean Boulevard, Suite 4200, Long Beach, CA 90802, (310/980-4016).

Written data or views, or requests for a public hearing on this request should be submitted to the Chief, Permits Division, Office of Protected Resources, F/PR1, NMFS, 1335 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910, within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Those individuals requesting a hearing should set forth the specific reasons why a hearing on this particular modification request would be appropriate.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the Secretary of Commerce is forwarding copies of this request to the Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The subject modification to permit no. 873, issued on July 28, 1993 (58 FR 34038), is requested under the authority of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Regulations Governing the Taking and Importing of Marine Mammals (50 CFR part 216), the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and the Regulations Governing the

Taking, Importing, and Exporting of Endangered Fish and Wildlife (50 CFR part 222).

Permit no. 873 authorizes the permit holder to biopsy several species of cetaceans off the coasts of Washington, Oregon, California, Mexico, and in the Southern Ocean; to import biopsy tissues collected outside of U.S. waters; and to conduct photo-identification and photogrammetry studies on these species. The permit holder requests authorization to add several additional species to the permit authority; to import biopsy tissues from these additional species; to expand the study area to include the Indian Ocean; to biopsy gray whales (including animals accompanying calves), fin, sei, minke, and right whales; and to employ photo-identification and photogrammetry techniques to study both gray whales and the additional species mentioned above.

Dated: February 9, 1995.

P.A. Montanio,

Acting Director, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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National Telecommunications and Information Administration

National Endowment for Children's Educational Television Advisory Council on Children's Educational Television; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA).

ACTION: Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Advisory Council on Children's Educational Television, created pursuant to the National Endowment for Children's Television Act of 1990.

SUMMARY: Congress established the National Endowment for Children's Educational Television under the direction of the Secretary of Commerce. Authority to administer this program is further delegated to the National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Congress mandated creation of the Advisory Council to advise on the making of grants and contracts for the purpose of creating and producing television programming specifically directed toward the development of fundamental intellectual skills of our nation's children.

Authority: Public Law 101-437, 104 Stat. 997, approved October 18, 1990, codified at 47 U.S.C. 394.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Monday, March 6, 1995, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will take place via telephone conference call in Room 4898 of the Herbert C. Hoover Commerce Building, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dr. Heather Birnie; Acting Director, National Endowment for Children's Educational Television (NECET); National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA); U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 4096; 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230. Telephone: 202/482-5802.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Council was chartered on September 13, 1993 pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 394 to advise the Secretary of Commerce on matters related to the making of grants and contracts that would enhance the education of children through the creation and production of television programming specifically directed toward the development of fundamental intellectual skills.

Agenda

1. Opening Introductions and Remarks by Larry Irving, Assistant Secretary of Communications and Information.
2. Discussion and Recommendations on Issues:
 - a. Whether there is a specific age group that is currently considered to be most under-served by children's educational television that should serve as the focus of the NECET grant round for Fiscal Year 1995;
 - b. Whether there are specific subject matter areas that should be designated as priorities for the Fiscal Year 1995 grant round.
3. Other Items for Discussion.

Public Participation

The meeting will be open to the public, with limited seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. Speaker telephones will be available to the public.

Larry Irving,

Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information.

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Minority Business Development Agency

Business Development Center Applications: Boston, Massachusetts

AGENCY: Minority Business Development Agency, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice (Cancellation).

SUMMARY: The Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is cancelling the announcement to solicit competitive applications under its Minority Business Development Center (MBDC) Program to operate a Boston, Massachusetts MBDC (closing date, December 16, 1994). Refer to the **Federal Register** dated, October 25, 1994.

11.800 Minority Business Development Center (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance)

Dated: February 9, 1995.

Donald L. Powers,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, Minority Business Development Agency.

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Business Development Center Applications: Portland, Oregon

AGENCY: Minority Business Development Agency, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Executive Order 11625 and 15 U.S.C. 1512, the Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is soliciting competitive applications to operate its Portland Minority Business Development Center (MBDC).

The purpose of the MBDC Program is to provide business development services to the minority business community to help establish and maintain viable minority businesses. To this end, MBDA funds organizations to identify and coordinate public and private sector resources on behalf of minority individuals and firms; to offer a full range of client services to minority entrepreneurs; and to serve as a conduit of information and assistance regarding minority business. The MBDC will provide service in the Portland, Oregon Metropolitan Area. The award number of the MBDC will be 09-10-95013-01.

DATES: The closing date for applications is March 17, 1995. Applications must be received in the MBDA Headquarters' Executive Secretariat on or before March 17, 1995. A pre-application conference will be held on March 3, 1995, at 10:00 a.m., at 911 Federal Building, Conference Room "B", First Floor, 911